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lations with the citizens whom it serves. One of the most interesting chapters in the book describes the development of associations of persons concerned in the proper working of various branches of the administration, *e. g.*, *L'Association des Abonnés du Téléphone* and *La Ligue des Contribuables*. The organizations of the public employees are, therefore, only one phase of a much larger question, the fundamental modification of French administration in the direction of democracy.

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## Money, Prices, Credit and Banking

*Banques d'Emission et Trésors Public.* By RAPHAEL GEORGES-LEVY. (Paris: Hachette et Cie. 1911. Pp. xxiv, 628. 7.50 fr.)

With discussions going on all over the world in regard to changes in banking legislation, the work of M. Lévy is eminently apropos and is likely to attract attention among experts. In bringing together a large mass of data regarding banks of issue, he has laid stress on a phase of the subject which has heretofore been comparatively little discussed,—the relations between the banks and the government. So completely are details subordinated to this subject that it affords the framework for the arrangement of the book, and this arrangement itself is not without significance to the American reader. Part I, which is much the larger part, relates to countries where the paper currency consists in whole or in part of bank-notes; Part II, deals with government paper (*billets d'Etat*). Under Part I, the subheads cover, first, those countries which grant the privilege of note issue to a single institution; second, the countries which have conceded the privilege of issue